**Expository Nonfiction Texts**

**1. Title:** “Armed and Underage.” by Jeffrey Gettleman

**Abstract:** The article focuses on the widespread use of child soldiers around the world. Human-rights experts cite that over 200,000 children are still being used all over the world as soldiers.

**Link to article:** [**http://teacher.scholastic.com/scholasticnews/indepth/upfront/features/index.asp?article=f042009\_Armed**](http://teacher.scholastic.com/scholasticnews/indepth/upfront/features/index.asp?article=f042009_Armed)

2. **Title**: “Hope for Uganda’s Child Soldiers?” by Laura Blue and Jonathan Woodward

**Abstract:** The article discusses the return of abducted Uganda children turned soldiers to their homes.

**Link to article**: <http://content.time.com/time/world/article/0,8599,1226297,00.html>

3. **Title**: "When Child Soldiers Grow Up." by Clair MacDougall

**Link to article**: <http://ic.galegroup.com/ic/ovic/MagazinesDetailsPage/MagazinesDetailsWindow?failOverType=&query=&prodId=OVIC&windowstate=normal&contentModules=&mode=view&displayGroupName=Magazines&limiter=&currPage=&disableHighlighting=false&displayGroups=&sortBy=&search_within_results=&p=OVIC&action=e&catId=&activityType=&scanId=&documentId=GALE%7CA338747167&source=Bookmark&u=mlin_n_collinsms&jsid=7e2877ddd6a0126313f97a4fd7b3e52b>

4.**Title**: “Child Soldiers being reintegrated” by L. Kurukulasuriya

**Abstract:** The article discusses the United Nations' Report on **Children** in Armed Conflict 2011, confirming the end of **child** recruitment by military groups in Sri Lanka.

**Link to article**: <http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=82073626&site=ehost-live>

**Opposing Viewpoints: Argument Nonfiction Texts**

1. **Title**: "Military Recruiting Exploits the Vulnerability of Teens." By Allen, Terry J.

**Link to article**: <http://ic.galegroup.com/ic/ovic/ViewpointsDetailsPage/ViewpointsDetailsWindow?failOverType=&query=&prodId=OVIC&windowstate=normal&contentModules=&mode=view&displayGroupName=Viewpoints&limiter=&currPage=&disableHighlighting=false&displayGroups=&sortBy=&search_within_results=&p=OVIC&action=e&catId=&activityType=&scanId=&documentId=GALE%7CEJ3010484205&source=Bookmark&u=mlin_n_collinsms&jsid=af729aa7ae8d50798be96b2c31f3debf>

2.**Title**: "Children Do Not Have the Right to Join an Army." By Miller, Sarah Rose.

**Link to article**: <http://ic.galegroup.com/ic/ovic/ViewpointsDetailsPage/ViewpointsDetailsWindow?failOverType=&query=&prodId=OVIC&windowstate=normal&contentModules=&mode=view&displayGroupName=Viewpoints&limiter=&currPage=&disableHighlighting=false&displayGroups=&sortBy=&search_within_results=&p=OVIC&action=e&catId=&activityType=&scanId=&documentId=GALE%7CEJ3010406212&source=Bookmark&u=mlin_n_collinsms&jsid=da918621973b9f88733435ee544baeaf>

**Digital Nonfiction Nonfiction Texts**

1.**Title**: “Eye To Eye: Ishmael Beah” from CBS News

**Abstract:** Ishmael Beah, a former child soldier, on CBS News with Katie Couric

**Link to video**:[**http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ozsOLdgp\_y0**](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ozsOLdgp_y0)